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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 740 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$882.
  - \$630 for 35 total claims over 20.
  - \$252 for 3 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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APPLICANT: Cannon )  
APPLICATION NO.: 10/037,446 ) Examiner: Not Yet Known  
FILED: January 2, 2002 ) Group Art Unit: 3711  
FOR: COMPETITIVE MATRIX TYPE )  
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EVENT TO A PRIMARY GAME, AND )  
APPARATUS AND SYSTEM FOR )  
IMPLEMENTING THE SAME )

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF MISSING PARTS**

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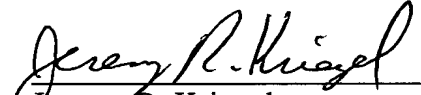
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In response to the Notice of Missing Parts mailed on January 31, 2002, the Applicant submits the following:

- Declaration/Power of Attorney, executed by the Applicant, Lee E. Cannon;
- Check in the amount of \$2,152.00, including \$740.00 for the basic filing fee, \$630.00 for excess claims over 20, \$252.00 for independent claims in excess of 3, \$130.00 for late filing of Declaration and Power of Attorney, and \$400.00 for a two-month extension of time, to and including May 31, 2002;
- Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time;
- Revocation of Prior Power(s) of Attorney; New Power of Attorney; Request to Change Correspondence Address; and Statement Under § 37 C.F.R. 3.73; and
- Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Non-Provisional Application.

In the event any additional fees are necessary in connection with the subject application, including in responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts, kindly charge the cost thereof to our Deposit Account No. 13-2855.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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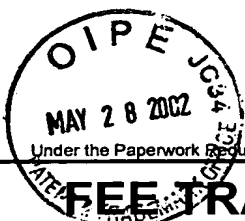
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